

LIFE THE STAKE

Albert T. Patrick's Long Fight to Prevent the Carrying Out of the Grim Sentence of Death.

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Arrested in February, 1901, for the murder of William Marsh Rice, an elderly millionaire who had been found dead five months previously under suspicious circumstances in his apartment at No. 20 Madison avenue, Patrick was tried, found guilty and sentenced to die in the electric chair in the week of May 5, 1902. More than four years have passed since then, and yet Patrick is still very much alive, and actually has a longer term of life than he had when he was sentenced to die in 1902.

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News of Wisconsin

Interesting Happenings in the Various Cities and Towns of the State.

Milwaukee. Attorney Frederick Reithold died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William L. Erlach at Athens, Marathon county, after an illness of three months. He was 67 years old.

In May Reithold returned from a health-seeking trip in California and was struck with hemorrhoids. He was prominent in the Milwaukee and Wisconsin bar and a partner in law business with the late D. H. Johnson and present Judge Halsey. He spent his entire life in Wisconsin and was for many years a leading breeder of high-grade Guernsey cattle. His famous Yokos Sunbeam won the world's record on the production of butter fat. He was a native of Newmumster, Kenosha county.

Heavy Fire Loss at Prentice. Prentice.—The plant of the United States Leather company at this place, which suffered a heavy loss in February, was damaged to the extent of \$200,000 or \$300,000 by fire, which got considerable headway before it was checked.

Three of the buildings at the half million dollar plant were destroyed, and the flames threatened to sweep away the other structures also, but energetic work of the fire department put out the blaze before more than half the plant was ruined. Had there been a wind the entire plant would have been wrecked, and the city itself might have been swept, for even as it was the burning brands set fire in a dozen places about the place and only continual watching prevented the starting of other fires.

St. Mary's Chapel Consecrated. Kenosha.—Impending economic depression has delayed the consecration of St. Mary's chapel by the bishop, the Little Episcopal church in connection with the summer home for children under the direction of the sisters of St. Mary. The chapel is a memorial chapel built by Mrs. Lydia Hubbard of Chicago as a memorial to her grand-daughter, Miss Grace Sterling, who was killed in Chicago several years ago by being thrown from a horse.

Drowned in Sight of Wife. Oshkosh.—Carl Petersen, of this city, was drowned here, while his wife and R. L. Miller, a Milwaukeean, were with him. Petersen was a well-known military instructor. The three had gone for a outing after Miller said Petersen died of a heart attack. The dead man was 23 years old and prominent socially.

Woman Given Another Chance. Racine.—Steve Yarnow and Mary Lowndes, elopers captured at Milwaukee, were taken before a court commissioner. Yarnow was held to the municipal court for trial on the charge of kidnapping. Mrs. Lowndes was permitted to go home on promising to be a good and faithful wife.

Despondent Teacher Kills Self. Milwaukee.—Vernon J. (the grain of teaching 22 years in the public schools, Miss Bertha Reib cast herself into Lake Michigan, leaving a brief note containing the pathetic words: "Tired of life." Miss Reib was a teacher in the third grade of Nineteenth district school No. 2, and also served as teacher of German.

Poisoned by Impure Cheese. Milwaukee.—Fifteen persons in the vicinity of Twenty-second avenue and all with ptomaine poisoning by eating impure cheese, and the health department has confiscated nearly 1,000 pounds of the product from a commission house. It has been taken to the garbage plant and destroyed.

Begin Work at Grandfather Falls. Merrill.—Work was commenced to harness Grandfather falls, the largest water power on the Wisconsin river. The object of the company is the development of the water power. The dam will be built about midway down the falls. It will be 600 feet long and about 40 feet high, and will be built of stone and concrete.

Potato Dealers Complain. Waunakee.—Potato dealers are to try to get better cars for the transportation of potatoes. About 4,000 to 5,000 cars are shipped every winter and it is charged that the poorest box cars are furnished and that shippers have to go to a large expense in providing lining and staves.

Killed by Freight Train. Prairie du Chien.—Emma Kuhlmann, nine years old, was struck by a Burlington freight train while trying to cross the tracks in front of the engine. Her left arm, shoulder and breast were crushed.

Heat Causes Death. Kenosha.—Overcome by the heat George Millward, aged 50 years, fell on a stone step, causing a fracture of the skull from which he died a short time later.

Woman Killed by Hay Wagon. Menomonie.—Mrs. Thomas Danter, aged 60 years, was thrown from a load of hay at Cedar Falls, near this city, and killed. She fell behind the horses and was dragged a long distance and fearfully mutilated.

Pitchfork Pierced Heart. Beloit.—Adam Stoff, aged 22 years, fell upon the prongs of a pitchfork at his farm near here and was instantly killed. He fell against the fork and one of the prongs pierced his heart.

Canal Will Drain Land. Caledonia.—Preliminary steps have been taken for another drainage canal in the town which, if it goes through, will reclaim two and a half sections of land heretofore useless. The canal will be two miles long and start north from the four mile road.

Child Fatally Killed by Horse. Weyauwega.—The five-year-old son of William Whitney, residing on the farm of L. D. Post, north of this village, was killed by a horse and instantly killed.

Second Explosion Scared Employees. Ashland.—Another explosion was experienced at the Atlantic Dynamite company's plant, seven miles from Ashland. The explosion sent timbers and parts of machinery 2,000 feet into the air. Ninety per cent of the employees have quit.

Cattle Killed by Lightning. Osceola.—Emil Zorn, a farmer of South Osceola, lost 14 head of cattle which were killed by lightning at one time. All were lying alongside a barbed wire fence.

Seeking Renomination. Portage.—George Wylie, of Leeds, has announced his candidacy for renomination as senator from the Twenty-seventh district, which includes the counties of Columbia and Sauk. Mr. Wylie has served the district one term, having been elected to the office in the fall of 1902.

Eloping, Couple Forgiveness. Milwaukee.—Steve Kinney, the Milwaukee prize fighter, and Miss Meta Cody were married in Chicago and returned home. They were forgiven.

LITTLE MEN and Little WOMEN.

How to Swim Correctly

Instructions for Boys and Girls Who Care to Learn Without Professional Teacher.

Stand up to the waist in water; then brace the right foot against a wall, or any solid object; bent knees leaning forward; arms stretched out to their full length in front; thumbs touching each other; palms parallel with water. Now push off, straightening the body so as to be face downward, skimming the top of the water. Be careful to do this toward dry land, or in the direction of shallow water. Repeat this as often as you are inclined, endeavoring to increase the push off to a distance of six or eight yards. Hold your breath while lying face downward on the water. Go through the movements perseveringly, for it will take the novice some time before

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Advertising Rates.—For display matter at rate of 10 cents an inch is charged. The columns in the Tribune are 12 inches wide, making a one column advertisement cost \$2.40 for one insertion. All local notices, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all notices of a complimentary nature are given without charge, where an advertisement is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

Dunn's Platform.

To the people of Wood County Wisconsin:

Having determined to ask your commission to assist in making the laws under which we live in this state, it seems proper that I should make known to you the principles upon which I ask your suffrage.

Since making the determination to run for the Assembly I have been asked to declare myself upon the prominent questions before the people of this and other states. To answer this by saying that I stand on the DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM has not seemed to be fully satisfactory to some who have asked. Those who believe that this platform is not fully satisfied with such an answer because it is so easily made. Those who do not believe in that platform, probably because they do not know what it is, or possibly because they think that it is the best DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM which was promulgated by the Omaha convention.

I stand for simplifying the Primary laws so as to make it easy to vote, easy to count, impossible to defraud. In amending it as to provide for a majority choice, and to do away with Nomination Papers, without resort to a Union or Convention.

I stand for a Thorough and Honest trial of State and National control of railroads by effectively empowered commissioners. If that fails then GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP and CONTROL. To this end commissioners MUST know the value of the property.

I believe in better taxation laws, until such time as the whole system can be simplified.

I am against CHILD LABOR except at the child's home.

I stand for the establishment of the present Game Warden law, except for Game Warden.

I stand for a Ballot system for use at General Elections and at Primary Elections which will permit the voter to mark the names of his choice without having them attached to those that he does not wish to vote for. A ballot system that does not require a mark by the voter to indicate his choice. Because, any ballot that has been marked by a voter may be marked by some one else after the voter has done his best to vote intelligently, so that his ballot must be thrown out.

A ballot system that will be simple to vote and four times easy to count. A ballot system and tally sheets that will leave no limited record of each vote of the election board. A ballot system that will leave no opportunity for fraud to be practiced in elections. This without any more cost to the taxpayer.

University Summer Session.

Statistics of attendance at the University of Wisconsin Summer Session just compiled show a remarkable increase in the number of graduates availing themselves of the various courses of study.

The total enrollment is 555, including men and women from all different states and foreign countries and professors from 12 universities and colleges. Many of these have obtained their doctorate or other high degrees.

Geographically the representation in the student body is a wide one. The Argentine Republic, Canada, Japan, and the Philippines are all represented, and in this country thirty-two states have sent men and women, most of whom are taking advanced work. Naturally Wisconsin stands first, with 233 students. Illinois is second with 44; Ohio has 18; Iowa 11; Missouri 10; Indiana 7; Kansas and Nebraska, 6 each; Michigan, Minnesota, and Pennsylvania, 5 each; New York, 4; Kentucky, Texas, and Montana, 3 each; Georgia, Alabama, New Hampshire, Maryland, New Mexico, and Mississippi, 2 each; and one each from New Jersey, Oregon, Colorado, Washington, Utah, North Dakota, North Carolina, South Carolina, Arkansas, and Massachusetts.

The 230 teachers enrolled include 23 university and college professors from 12 different universities and colleges. They are members of the faculties of Columbia University, the state universities of Missouri, Oregon, Wisconsin, and Texas; the University of Chicago; Dartmouth; Wilkes College Pa.; Alabama Polytechnic Institute; Mount Morris College; Mississippi Indian College; Greenville College, Ill.; and Carroll College. The highest degree, that of doctor of philosophy, has been granted many of these, while others have degrees of master of arts, master of laws, bachelor of philosophy, bachelor of laws, bachelor of science, bachelor of arts, or civil engineer.

In the enrollment are 147 who have already received university or college diplomas, and are taking advanced work. There are 392 more who have not yet completed their college course and are either shortening their years of study by gaining extra university credits during the summer vacation, or in the case of a few, are making up deficiencies of past work. The graduates of normal schools number 111, and the teachers of high schools, academies, and grades are 239. The preparatory department has 72 students.

WOOD AND COAL. Barrett Bros. Telephone 94

An Opportunity for Men of Military Experience.

Norfolk, Va., Under the supervision of Capt. Henry W. Carpenter of the United States Marine Corps, the Jamestown Exposition is organizing a military force to be known as the Exposition Guard, for the purpose of policing the grounds and of keeping the peace and order of the entire Exposition. Capt. Carpenter is sending out, upon application, an enrollment blank, which enables him to ascertain the value of each applicant.

A limited number of these blanks are being sent to the various Military Institutions of the State in the hope of securing the services of some of the students, whose military experience makes them desirable to fill the ranks of this organization. The entire command of the guard is in the hands of Capt. Carpenter who intends to carry on the work under the strictest Military discipline.

In the enrollment of the guardsmen of military experience who have served, either in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps, State Militia, or Military Colleges will be given first consideration.

Capt. Carpenter who has been detailed by the Navy Department to command the Exposition Guard has established his headquarters at the Atlantic Hotel in Norfolk, Va. His career has been a very interesting one and owing to his wide experience he has had in a public reception of foreign guests he is perhaps the most efficient officer that could have been detailed for the position.

The guard will be organized as a battalion of probably four companies and commanded as are the United States troops. The uniforms are of a simple, yet impressive design, consisting of a gray blouse and trousers of a military cut and the regulation uniform with the addition of riding breeches and black strap leggings. A white sun helmet and uniform of cotton duck will also be provided for hot weather.

Capt. Carpenter has formulated the following conditions of enrollment in the guard: Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 40, of not less than 5 feet, 8 inches in height and must have served either in the U. S. Army, Navy, Marine Corps, U. S. or State Volunteers, National Guard or in some Military School or College.

The salaries to be paid to the enlisted men are as follows: mounted men \$30.00, unmounted men \$25.00 per month, with an increase for non-commissioned officers. In addition to this salary are allowances for uniforms, subsistence, quarters, medical attendance and traveling.

Beside the foregoing conditions, each applicant will be required to undergo a physical examination before he is selected for appointment. It is expected that the Jamestown Exposition will have one of the most efficient organizations to guard its grounds that has ever been enlisted for previous exhibitions.

State Aid in Building Roads.

In all states where they are getting good systems of permanent highways they have abandoned the time honored policy of letting each district build its own roads and have adopted the policy of state aid and state supervision. Under this system the rural districts pay only a portion of the cost, for the city property and the railroads are taxed to pay a share, and the state's engineers plan and oversee the construction, thus insuring a well built road.

The states surrounding Wisconsin have without exception, adopted the policy of state aid for highway construction and it is to be hoped that our own state will fall in line soon. The policy of state aid, as always worked in the laws does not compel any town to start in to build expensive roads. It only means that when a town wishes to build permanent roads it will find the county and state each willing to pay a part of the cost.

By putting a part of the road tax into permanent roads each year and building a small stretch according to a definite plan a town can in a few years have a network of fine roads. Many towns in other states have already done this. As an example of how the plan works in Ohio take the town of Deerfield which is one of sixteen towns in Ross County and about the average in value. The value of city and village property in the county is about half that of farm property, so that the farm property pays two-thirds of the county taxes. In the state the city and village property exceeds the farm property in value by about 25 per cent so that the state income is derived chiefly from cities and Deerfield wants to build a stretch of road costing \$1,000 the state pays \$250, the county \$250 and the town itself \$500. Of the \$500 which the county pays, about \$20 is levied back on Deerfield, \$170 on the seven villages and one city and \$210 on the other fifteen towns, an average of \$30 a piece. The county tax is thus distributed so that it is a very slight burden indeed. Of the state's share, \$250, about one-hundredth of one per cent is levied back on Deerfield, most of the state's share being paid by taxes on city and corporation property.

In this way Deerfield pays about \$270 for each \$1,000 spent on permanent roads, and the remainder is distributed so that the burden of tax is too small to be noticed. The railroads and cities are glad to assist in this as it is of great aid to their business.

In connection with a study of road conditions in our own state the State Geological Survey is looking into the method of building country roads in other states. It is glad to assist interested persons to learn more about the way other states are assisting to build roads.

What a New Jersey Editor Says

M. T. Lynch, editor of the Phillipsburg N. J. Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as E. J. King's Cough Syrup. I can not say too much in praise of it." Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Notice to Republican Voters.

I wish to hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for State Senator for the 24th Senatorial District, at the coming September primaries.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, June 24th, 1906.

Theo. W. Brazzosa.

Candidate for Co. Treasurer.

I, the undersigned, hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county treasurer of Wood County.

In harmony with the precedent where county officers have given satisfaction to the people, I again seek the nomination. If re-nominated and re-elected, I promise to perform the duties of said office in the future, as in the past, to the best of my ability.

Philip F. Bean.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of district attorney on the republican ticket, subject to the action of voters at the primary election to be held on Sept. 4th, 1906.

John J. Jeffrey.

To the Republicans of Wood Co.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for district attorney at the primaries to be held next September fourth. I trust my candidacy will meet with your approval.

Louis A. Bauman.

For District Attorney.

(Upon the solicitation of friends in many parts of the county I have concluded to become a candidate for district attorney on the Republican ticket at the primaries to be held Sept. 4th, 1906.)

R. E. Andrews, Marshfield, Wis.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff on the republican ticket before the primaries to be held in September.

Charles Ecklund.

Candidate for Clerk of Court.

I, the undersigned, clerk of the circuit court, as usual with the precedent where an officer has given satisfaction to the people, again seek the nomination. If re-elected to the said office I promise to perform the duties to the best of my ability.

A. B. Boyer.

Candidate for Co. Clerk.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of the county clerk of Wood County to succeed myself. For two years last past, I have served the people in this capacity and believe my actions have been such as to warrant my asking for a continuance at said office. In the future as in the past I promise a faithfulness to every trust.

Geo. W. Davis.

Candidate for Register Deeds.

I, the undersigned register of deeds of Wood County, in harmony with the usual precedent where county officers have given satisfaction to the people, present myself as candidate for re-nomination upon the record I have made during my first term. If re-nominated and re-elected I promise to perform the duties of my office to the best of my ability.

W. S. Powell.

Announcement.

To the voters of Wood Co.:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county clerk of Wood County on the democratic ticket at the coming primary election to be held on Sept. 4.

E. J. Hahn.

Announcement.

To the voters of Wood County:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for register of deeds of Wood Co. at the coming primary election to be held on September 4. C. E. Boles.

Announcement.

To the voters of Wood Co.:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for treasurer of Wood Co. on the democratic ticket at the primary election to be held on September 4th.

Leo J. Ronsch.

Announcement.

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M. Dunn.

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Julius Wolch.

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To the voters of Wood Co.:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for surveyor of Wood Co. on the democratic ticket at the coming primary election to be held on Sept. 4.

Michael Erlings.

Announcement.

To the voters of Wood Co.:—I hereby announce myself as a candidate for coroner on the democratic ticket at the coming primary election to be held on Sept. 4.

H. Van Ruth.

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MEEHAN.

Miss Agnes Menger, who has been visiting relatives at Sheridan, returned to her home here last week.

Our school will commence next Monday with Miss Bess Bowersock as teacher.

M. H. Menger and wife left Saturday for Plainfield to visit their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Burrows.

Miss Ruth Borman returned from Saratoga last week where she has been visiting friends.

Miss Agnes Menger was a Plover visitor Saturday.

Orin Clendenning made a business trip to Stevens Point Tuesday.

Miss Rosetta Pike visited Adams County friends and relatives a few days.

E. L. Bailey was a Plover visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pike were Adams County callers a few days ago.

Lois Smart was a Stevens Point visitor last Wednesday.

A spectacle agent went through here last week and was quite successful in disposing of his stock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bailey visited relatives at Stevens Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Olmstead have gone to bookkeeping in Arthur Clendenning's home.

Miss Estella Parks of Stevens Point visited relatives and friends in this vicinity a few days last week.

Mrs. Antone Groom, son Joseph and daughter, Kate spent Sunday at the county line.

A laborer from here attended the dance at the county line last Thursday night.

Rev. Miller and family visited friends at Maize the fore part of last week.

Work on Mrs. Clendenning's new store is progressing nicely.

"Made to Sell."

The Jordan (Minnesota) Independent takes a rap at the catalogue houses in this fashion:

"Do you remember the story that used to be in the old Appleton Fourth Reader—was it for a dollar? At any rate it looked awfully cheap, as a rushing person would say, and the razor was guaranteed to be fine. After the boy had tried them—and swore he bound up his face and wanted his money back. The seller laughed at him, said the razors weren't made to shave with."

"What were they made for then?" asked the victim.

"Made," said the agent with a smile. "Why, made to sell of course."

"W. F. Luedke, of Prior Lake, who does more or less cream separator repairing for the farmers of this section of the county and hence comes into contact with many makes of machines tells that he was recently called upon to repair one of the wonderful new separators sold by a popular Chicago catalogue house for 'half what your home dealer would ask.' The machine was bought and the catalogue house had the money safely in hand. It soon began 'bumping.' Mr. Luedke found that it was a hopeless case. It wouldn't skim and there seemed no way to make it. He says that the machine is very poor and cheaply built and is not worth the money paid for it."

"Made to sell, of course."

"As it is in this case so must it be in the case of other goods offered by the mail order concerns. They confess that they are not manufacturers, so the only way they can sell cheaper than the regular dealer is by substituting an inferior grade of goods and telling about them. All this talk they give you about selling profits, etc., is bogus. It costs them as much, or more to get their goods sold as it does through ordinary channels."

"Where they have some advantage in selling the cash before they let you have the goods. The home dealer or given this can beat them and does beat them in value given his customers."

Tramp Gives Lecture.

A tramp asked for a drink in a saloon. The request was granted, and when in the act of drinking the proffered beverage one of the young men present exclaimed:

"Stop! make us a speech. It is poor liquor that doesn't unloosen a man's tongue."

The tramp hastily swallowed down the drink, and as the rich liquor coursed through his blood, straightened himself and stood before them with a grace and dignity that all his rags and dirt could not obscure.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I look to night at you and myself, and it seems to me that I look upon the picture of my blighted maudlin. This bloated face was once as handsome as yours. This shuffling figure once walked as proudly as yours. I, too, once had a home and friends and position. I had a wife as beautiful as an artist's dream, but I dropped the priceless pearl of my honor and respect into a cup of wine, and, like Chopatza, saw it dissolve, then quaffed it down in the brimming draught. I had children sweet and pure as the flowers of spring, and saw them fade and die under the blighting curse of a drunkard's father. I had a home where I lit its flame upon the altar and mingled before it, but I put out the holy fire and darkness and desolation reigned in its stead. I had aspirations and ambitions that soared as high as the morning star, but I broke and bruised those beautiful forms and strangled their cries no more. Today I am a husband without a wife, a father without a child and a tramp without a home and a man in whom every good impulse is dead. All have been swallowed up in a maelstrom of drink."

The tramp ceased speaking. The glass fell from his nervous fingers and was shattered into a thousand fragments on the floor. The swining doors were pushed open and shut again and when the group looked up the tramp was gone.

Valvoline cylinder oil, the very best for gasoline engines at Krieger's.

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENTS

SHERRY

Too late for last week.

Few people realize what our schools cost to maintain, our graded schools paid \$1080 for teachers salaries the past year, or an average of \$8.88 for each child of school age.

Parents residing in the district. Stop and consider if you can afford to deprive your child from this priceless education, when this is the average for each child whether they attend school or not. A better attendance is due.

The Sherry Christian Endeavor Society have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Otto Paalen; Vice-President, Thomas J. Williams; Secretary, Miss Hazel Putney; Treasurer, Miss Luella Whitney; Organist, Mrs. John Leunbury.

Sherry has now a much needed addition, that of resident physician, Dr. Whitney and family of Cataract have taken their residence here. We welcome them to our midst and wish them success.

Our little burg has for the past few weeks been busy getting settled after the event of the establishing of the Northwestern Collegiate Institute here which brings several families to reside here and causing many moves to be made, and houses are now very scarce and competent carpenters are in demand.

Fred Bahl has a large force of men remodeling his hotel building.

John H. Williams is erecting a handsome new residence on his farm. Old maids would be scarce and hard to find.

Could they be made to see. How grace and beauty is combined. By using Rocky Mountain Tea.

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Mrs. Perry of De Rosa is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thor. J. Williams.

Miss Lizzy Williams of Columbus is visiting with her brother John H. Williams.

Miss Sarah Thomas, who has been employed at Racine, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Jones of Cambria accompanied by her niece is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Jones.

Mrs. Jake and Joe Feldman have returned here from Elroy; they seem to like Sherry for some reason.

Miss Holsington of Arlington, Iowa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Williams and will remain an indefinite time.

Rev. R. H. Butler departed Saturday for Madison where he will attend the Monaca assembly and take a much needed rest.

Glenn Leunbury who has been undergoing an operation at Milwaukee is expected home this week. His many friends rejoice in his rapid recovery.

Rev. R. M. Smith, President of the Northwestern Collegiate Institute will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church in the absence of Rev. Butler, the pastor.

Summer Diarrhoea in Children.

During the hot weather of the summer months the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention, so as to check the disease before it becomes serious. All that is necessary is a few doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by a dose of Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for several years and find it a very valuable remedy, especially for summer disorders in children." Sold by Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

VANDRIESEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davison and children returned home last week after spending about a month with relatives in Spring Valley, Minn.

Mrs. Wm. Smith and children came Friday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ward Weldon.

The Ladies Aid met with Mrs. John Gansley Wednesday.

A woman worries until she gets wrinkles, then worries because she has them. If she takes Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea she would have neither. Bright, smiling face follows its use. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Johnson & Hill Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolcott went to Grand Rapids Thursday shopping.

A number of Miss Mary Milkins friends surprised her Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

Repairing!
I do anything in the line of Repairing Sewing Machines, Bicycles, Razors, Shears, and Saws sharpened. All my work guaranteed.
The Best Carpenter Tools can always be found here.
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We have a large quantity of Portland Cement which was bought before the rise, and it pay you to call up 51 and see how cheap we can lay your sidewalks. We put in basements, and do all kinds of cement work.
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A little home for you and me.
It's all I ask except good health.
Which comes with Rocky Mountain Tea.
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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Isabelle Marshall spent Sunday with friends at Killebrew.

Mrs. P. P. Daly made a business trip to Chicago on Tuesday.

John Brennan Jr. was on the sick list a few days the past week.

Arvin Arpin of Brainerd spent the past week with relatives in the city.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowers on Saturday.

Miss Louise Martin is the guest of Oshkosh friends for a few weeks.

Axle Johnson of Almond spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Mrs. H. A. Herschleb is spending this week with her son Jerry at Wausau.

Miss Colia Hart leaves today for a two weeks visit with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Mary McCauley left last week for a month's visit with relatives at Milwaukee.

Frank Troch of Macfield was in the city Sunday and pitched for the city team.

Tom Kane of Fond du Lac visited friends in the city a few days the past week.

Monica McCarthy returned on Sunday from a week's visit with friends at Hancock.

O. A. Arkinson of Chicago was the guest of Carl Winger a few days the past week.

Mrs. Anna Sweeney left yesterday for an extended visit with relatives at Phillips.

J. MacKinnon left on Monday for Appleton and other points south on a business trip.

Guy Getts has painted the front of his restaurant a bright green, with red trimmings.

Miss Anna Komars of New London is visiting relatives in this city for a few weeks.

Miss Nellie Leary of Anson was a guest at the John Carlson home a few days the past week.

John Barker, who is employed at Sholengy, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Mae Cahill of Port Edwards was the guest of Miss Blanche Cleveland over Sunday.

Misses Nettie and Lanna Klug returned Friday evening from a few days visit at Endeavor.

Mrs. T. E. Mullen and two children left on Tuesday for a week's visit at her home in Green Bay.

Mrs. Wm. Buckley of Milwaukee is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Clara Arpin this week.

Alex Uehling of Watertown is visiting at the home of his brother, Oscar Uehling this week.

Fred Mourse of Chicago spent several days in the city the past week with Dr. W. O. Blanchard.

Mrs. Wm. Reeves and daughter Anna returned Friday from a week's outing at the Shawano lakes.

Louis Ue returned on Saturday from Ladysmith where he has been working for some time past.

Mrs. E. M. Hayes returned Monday from Wausau where she had been visiting relatives for a week.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Horner of the west side are quite sick with the whooping cough.

Miss Floriole DeVos of Central Falls, Rhode Island, is visiting relatives in the city for a few weeks.

Miss Louora McCarthy is spending a few weeks in Milwaukee the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Sheehan.

Miss Loretta McCarthy has accepted a position as clerk at the J. T. Schumacher store during the sale.

J. J. Martin, bookkeeper for the R. Connor company at Luona, is in the city visiting his friends and relatives.

John Mosher and brothers commenced work Monday on a new residence for Nels Laramie on the west side.

E. L. Roscoe, cashier of the First National Bank of Marshfield, transferred business in this city Saturday.

John Eganman, Sr. is up at Glidden and neighboring towns this week looking after some business matters.

Ed. Pfiffner, M. Canley and Jim Welch were among the many who came over from Stevens Point Sunday.

Miss Bertha Thompson left on Saturday for a three weeks visit with relatives and friends at Wausau and Merrill.

There were 125 people who took advantage of the excursion train that came over from Stevens Point on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Uehling are the happy parents of a baby boy which arrived at their home last Thursday.

Misses Lulu Cassidy of Stevens Point and Cecelia Folin of Milwaukee were guests of Miss Amy Cahill on Sunday.

Misses Selma Goodman and Ethel Taylor of Iowa were guests at the Walter Barnes home a few days the past week.

Mrs. Clarence Wood of Lone Pine was called to this city last week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Springer.

Misses Ellen Minnehan of Milwaukee and sister Daisy of Green Bay, are guests at the D. B. Philles home this week.

Rouben Sweeney left on Monday for Panama where he will be employed by the government in the machine shops.

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Wausau Record:—Catcher Troch arrived this morning from Grand Rapids where he played ball yesterday. He was accompanied by his brother, Frank Troch, who may become a Lumberjack. The brothers were the battery for Grand Rapids against Stevens Point Sunday, winning the game 5 to 1.

J. A. Gaynor is going east to place with the Cranberry growers there some of the cranberry mills and other cranberry machinery invented by James Gaynor, and will be absent during a large part of the month of August. Any one desiring his past office address at any time during his absence, may inquire of Mrs. John A. Gaynor.

Wausau Pilot:—The Pilot recently suggested D. D. Conway, of Grand Rapids, as a candidate for congress on the democratic ticket, for the 19th congressional district. This has met with the approval of democrats in every part of the district and especially has the press commented very favorably and spoken in the very highest terms of Mr. Conway. There would be no mistake made in the selection of Mr. Conway.

"Opening of Ladysmith Branch on the Wisconsin Central R'y."
Train service on our new Ladysmith Branch will be inaugurated Monday, August 6th, and thereafter a train will leave Ladysmith daily, except Sunday at 8:40 a. m. arriving Oshkosh at 11:40 a. m. making connections with Main Line train arriving Grand Rapids at 3:20 p. m., leaving Grand Rapids at 9:55 a. m., Owens at 1:15 p. m., arrive Ladysmith 4:15 p. m.

Probably there are a few of our readers who are not aware of the fact that five barbed wire do not constitute a lawful fence in Wisconsin. The law was amended by the legislature so that barbed wire can now be used only at the top of either woven wire or boards. A lawful fence must be 50 inches high and the space from the ground to the bottom board or woven wire must not be more than six inches.

—One H. P. Gasoline Engine, one Boiler feed pump, one portable for sale cheap at Krieger's factory.

Ripon college has just announced the list of students in the high schools in the state who have won the Rhodes scholarship, entitling them to enter Ripon college in the fall. In the list is included Bert McDonald of Grand Rapids as the leading member of the 1904 graduating scholarship winners. To secure this scholarship the winning student must have a good high school record, have shown unusual qualities of leadership in the work of his fellows, must have and shown a kindly spirit, and some later, shown in ability in general athletics. This is the first time that the Rhodes scholarship has been applied by the college to the graduates of the high school.

The Dodgeville city marshal has among others, the following duties as prescribed by an ordinance regulating the same; he is superintendent of the water works; engine, boiler, windmill power house, water mains, hydrants and pumps; he must attend to all break-downs, doing the labor himself; turn the water on and off in mains where and whenever required; care for the apparatus, keep it clean and in proper condition; ring the curfew, collect dog tax; be janitor for city hall; wait on sick when quarantined; attend board of review; collect water tax and be city pound master, beside the police duties. For this little work he receives the princely salary of four hundred per year.

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A Novel Logging Scheme.
Wausau Herald:—The Lake and River Logging company, a corporation that was recently organized in this city, has for its purpose the raising of sunken and abandoned logs now lying in the lakes and rivers of northern Wisconsin. The company has purchased the logs and log marks of nearly all of the lumber companies that have been operating north of Rhinelander during the last ten or fifteen years, and proposes to put rafts and scoops upon the lakes and remove those logs to convenient points where they can be manufactured into lumber by portable mills. Many of the logs have been in the water for years and as a consequence, some are partly covered with sand and debris, but on the whole, a considerable amount can be recovered at a moderate cost.

The marks and logs already bought by the company will include practically all of the logs now in Plum, Big St. Germain, Little St. Germain and Piquette lakes; Sugar camp waters, Eskla waters and numerous other lakes and creeks.

Ten Years in Bed.
"For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys," writes J. E. Gray, of Oakville, Ind. "I was so severe that I could not move part of the time. I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could get no relief until Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me. It has been a Godsend to me." Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

G. A. R. Encampment, Minneapolis, August 15 to 18. Special Low Rates. \$1.15 from Grand Rapids, Wis., to Minneapolis, Minn., and return on August 11, 12 and 13, will return on August with favorable reply for tickets on account of National turn limits. For the North-Western Line, direct route. Splendid train service. Excellent food and schedule. Special G. A. R. trains. The best of everything. For the best of sale and full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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AMONG CRANBERRY MEN.

EDITED BY W. H. FITCH.

(All communications and special exchanges relating to this department should be sent to Cranberry, Wood County, Wis.)

The State Convention.

By enlarging the scope of the business to be transacted at the annual meeting of growers the gathering it is believed will be given increased importance and interest.

Heretofore the two special topics that have engaged attention were fixing prices for harvesting and receiving reports of the current conditions of the crop. Now the field is open for the discussion of any matter deemed of concern to the industry.

A subject that will probably be considered of vital interest is the distribution of the season's yield, and the treatment of this phase of the business promises to be an attractive one.

For a number of years improved methods of marketing have been under discussion, and the formation of a sales company by large and leading Wisconsin growers introduces a factor of far-reaching significance. It is therefore probable that this part of the program will receive the consideration deserved.

Some years ago a list of topics were submitted by Hon. John A. Gurnea to the association and adopted as follows:

1. The best methods of planting and the care of vines after planting. The object lesson furnished at the experimental station will be viewed with interest and the interchange of individual experience proven valuable.

2. Water supply and the use of water has probably never been of more importance than at present, not only as affecting cultivation but the handling of the supply, along lines of commercial interests bring up questions taxing the best thought of those concerned.

3. The construction of ditches, drains and bulkheads should bring out suggestions helpful to all.

4. Implements used by growers cover the latest inventions now in practical use.

5. Gathering, cleaning and marketing, gives wide scope for preventing the progress made along these lines.

6. Insects. The national and state authorities having taken this subject up, much benefit is looked for in the way of remedial measures.

7. Plants that interfere with the spread of virus takes in the matter of weeds, and best methods of dealing with same.

8. Frost. The special work of the Weather Bureau gives added interest to this over important subject.

9. Fire. Last the serious nature of the past should be forgotten, however, as a preventive and precautionary nature should be presented and discussed.

10. Report of the keeper of the Experimental station. Each year enhances the value of the investigations conducted by trained observers, and a large share of the time should be allotted to this important work.

11. Production of varieties and the merits of each. This should call forth the experiences of growers with the different kinds of berries in regard to their varying characteristics and basis of popularity.

12. Conditions favorable to the formation of fruit buds. In view of scientific nature the systematic and scientific study of this matter cannot fail to be of great benefit.

Thus summarized it will be seen that rightly conducted the work of the convention can be rendered highly conducive to the welfare of all directly or indirectly connected with the industry.

Work of Convention.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Wisconsin State Cranberry Growers' Association it was voted to hold the 30th annual convention on Tuesday August 14th at the State Experimental station in the vicinity of the Orono and Elm Lake districts.

In view of the systematic and scientific work now being carried on by national and state authorities, it was deemed advisable to assign a large part of the program to those in charge of the investigations, and this feature it is believed will prove very acceptable to those in attendance.

The aim will be to bring out for the benefit of those engaged in the industry the latest researches regarding problems that have presented themselves and to lay out plans for further studies for the subjects are of a manifold and difficult nature and require close and extended applications much practical information is needed along the lines of fertilizers, and the object lessons available at the experimental station will be noted with interest and profit.

While individual interest and effort are urged the trained work of specialists accompanied by facilities not attainable in private enterprise make possible the acquisition of reliable character. Another matter of vital import is that of the injuries inflicted by insects.

Of late this phase of the industry has assumed an increased importance and has been deemed worthy of special investigation by O. D. Hardenberg, entomologist of the College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin.

The identification of the insects and popular habits of these found, come within the province of the inquiry and will be duly put in available form for use.

Experimental Station Work. Mr. E. R. Jones, Instructor in Soils University of Wisconsin is at present at Orono engaged in securing data for a survey of the cranberry districts. This work is supervised by Prof. A. B. Whitson under the general direction of the United States Department of Agriculture in connection with the experimental station of the state, and is intended for use in the investigations now being carried on by the general government in the interests of irrigation and drainage.

With the ascertainment of the facts in the case systems of handling the water supply to the best possible advantage can be devised, and prove of much service to those whose interests are affected thereby.

Cranberry Outlook.

Concerning the situation in the cranberry growing districts the Orange Judd Farmer has the following to say:

A little later it will be possible for Orange Judd Farmer to furnish the readers with a fairly conclusive idea of cranberry crop prospects. So far vines have not progressed sufficiently to determine fully. Yet present prospects have some weight, bearing on the situation. From a comprehensive set of correspondents' reports it is evident the cranberry outlook in Wisconsin and New Jersey is decidedly more favorable than on Cape Cod.

With occasional exceptions vines in the first named states tend to conditions pointing to a normal set of fruit. In Massachusetts two detrimental factors are noted; one being late spring frosts and the other more or less serious ravages of army worms. The damage by the latter is as yet not clearly defined and may or may not have a serious bearing upon the cranberry yield for 1906.

Wisconsin Generally Favorable. Writing this Journal last week, A. O. Bonnett says: "In Wood and Barron counties, Wis. vines have budged nicely and many now are in bloom. Prospects good. Only a few places injured by frost and this damage is spotted. My marshes in Winnebago county which were unprotected were injured by early frosts."

A correspondent at Grand Rapids, Wood county, says: "We have had a wet spring with considerable cold winds, yet outlook is for good average crop of cranberries."

Writing from Berlin an important cranberry section in Orono Lake county, correspondent says: "Unprotected vines badly frosted in late May. Aside from this condition are quite promising."

In a communication Sec. Fitch of the Wis. cranberry growers' association says: "Conditions vary from poor to good, depending on supply of water at hand at time of late spring frosts. Taken as a whole the situation is indicative of a medium to fair promise as regards budding blossoms, health of vines, etc."

A Jackson Co. correspondent says vines are looking splendid and prospects are all that could be desired. New Jersey Promising.

Orange Judd Farmer has reports from the chief cranberry producing sections of New Jersey. In that state there was some loss here and there by frosts, this mainly on unprotected vines. A few vines are unprotected in a trifling way. Generally cranberry vines are healthy and the outlook is fully up to normal. This loss, however, will tell the tale as regards damage by worms and fungus. Many growers in Atlantic county are spraying their vines to prevent development of the latter. One of the best posted cranberry growers in New Jersey says the general loss by frost on early drawn buds ranges 5 to 25 per cent.

Long Island and Cape Cod. Some bogs on Long Island suffered more or less by spring frosts. However, that section does not figure conspicuously in the country's cranberry crop. It is significant that many of the foremost producing sections on Cape Cod, say the outlook at present does not indicate a large crop for 1906. So far it is not possible fully to gauge crop prospects. Growers are basing their reports upon losses occasioned to date by frost and army worms. Should conditions suddenly change for the better a fair crop may be secured along the Cape.

Men Past Sixty in Danger. More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate glands. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rockport, Mo., writes, "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 91 years old." Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

G. A. R. Notice. —On August 28th will occur the last meeting of the local Grand Army post before the encampment to be held at Minneapolis. In view of this fact all members of the post are requested to be present, as final arrangements will be completed for the coming trip to Minneapolis.

Post Commander.

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A HISTORIC TRAGEDY

EXECUTION OF JOSEPH LESBURQUES

AND ITS SAD SEQUEL.

The Famous Legal Blunder That Occurred in France Upon Which Was Founded the Popular Melodrama "The Lyons Mail."

The tragedy of the execution of Joseph Lesburques, an innocent man, by the legal machinery of France in the eighteenth century is an incident replete with pathetic phases.

Although Lesburques was executed as far back as 1790, though his innocence was established in 1801, though his property was restored to the family in 1824, the corps legislatif, after the family had tried for over half a century to have his memory judicially rehabilitated, definitely refused in 1893 to perform this last remaining act of justice.

The industry of French law forbids the questioning of a jury's verdict by any one save the person directly interested. But though the law has failed to remove the stigma on the name of an innocent man, literature and the drama have made him a popular hero, "The Lyons Mail," in which his honor is gloriously vindicated, has been one of the most popular of all French melodramas, and the combined genius of Charles Daudet and of Henry Irving made it one of the great successes of the modern English stage.

For Lesburques, who, when he perished on the scaffold, was but thirty-three years of age, was a good husband, a good father and a good citizen. He married in 1790 Mlle. Camille, a lady of respectable family in Douai and possessed of a handsome dowry. Their children therefore were very young, and it was in order to give them the benefit of superior education that he relinquished his public appointment at Douai and came to Paris, there to live on his own private fortune, which amounted to about 7,500 francs a year. He had but just arrived in the capital and was superintending the furnishing of his new home when the thunderbolt fell.

On April 27, 1790, the mail coach between Lyons and Paris was attacked by a band of robbers. The postilion and courier were murdered. There were no witnesses to the crime, but it was reported that a party of horsemen had been seen in the vicinity at about the time it was committed. These horsemen had taken refuge at an inn at Montbrison. One of Lesburques' friends, Gueudet, was arrested on suspicion, and his private papers were seized. There was no evidence to hold him on except that he answered the description of one of the supposed murderers, and he was dismissed. Next day he was told to call for his papers at the central bureau. He was accompanied thither by Lesburques, an act of madness on the part of the latter had been guilty.

It happened that just at that time the judge was taking the depositions of the witnesses who lived in the neighborhood of the scene of the murder. Among these were two malcontents, Amour and Montbrison, who uttered simultaneous screams at the appearance of the two friends. They were put into the witness box and swore positively that two of the horsemen were present in the audience. When confronted with Lesburques and Gueudet they positively swore that they had seen them. At the trial four other witnesses corroborated their testimony with equal emphasis as regarded Gueudet. The latter succeeded in establishing a satisfactory alibi and was released. The break down badly when the daybook of the jeweler, Lagrand, to whom he swore he had sold a bill of goods on the very day of the murder, was produced in court and the date of the charge was found to have been altered.

In vain the jeweler protested that the first date was a mistake, which he had immediately corrected, and he and all the other witnesses for Lesburques were looked upon as self convicted perjurers. Lesburques was found guilty and executed, together with one of the real murderers, named Contrail, who on mounting the scaffold confessed his own guilt, but declared the innocence of Lesburques. Doubts began to arise as to the justice of Lesburques' sentence, and finally it was discovered that he had suffered through extraordinary resemblance to one Dubois, the real criminal, who was brought to justice in 1801, convicted and executed.

This deplorable case had most deplorable sequels. The unhappy Mlle. Lesburques went mad on hearing the news of her husband's condemnation. The children were as yet too young to understand their trouble, but as they grew up one thought alone possessed their father, it was to understand how brooding over this purpose drove one daughter to the madhouse in which her mother had been confined.

It is curious that one of the witnesses against Lesburques, the woman Altop, confessed to her error. Still another victim was another daughter of Lesburques, who, worn out by the fruitless struggle with the pedantry of the French laws, drowned herself in the Seine. His son left France, took service in the Russian army and counted and found death there. As regards Lesburques' fortune, which had been confiscated, his unhappy family were more successful. In 1824, just twenty-eight years after their father's death, they obtained a grant of 244,000 francs, supplemented in 1836 by another grant of 252,000 francs.—London Public Opinion.

May Support Other Fellow.

A. C. Titus, first assistant attorney general has given an opinion in which he states, that at voters who sign nomination papers are not thereby bound to support the candidate whose paper they have signed. This opinion was rendered in response to a letter written him on the subject. The opinion is in part as follows:

"Nomination papers are designated in the primary election law as the method to be used for getting the names of candidates upon the primary ballot; and, so far as I observe, they serve no other useful purposes. I cannot think that it was intended by the legislature that they should be used for the purpose of determining for an elector in advance for whom he should vote at the ensuing primary, and, at most, they are but an expression of the intent of the voter existing at the time he signs the nomination paper. He does not bind himself not to change his preference in candidates, but merely expresses the opinion in his mind at the time he signs the same. No certainly does not legally bind himself to vote for the candidate whose papers he has signed, nor can I reason that he morally obliges himself to do so."

He follows the opinion with an illustration, showing that if a voter was bound legally to support a candidate whose nomination paper he signs, it would tend to defeat the object sought to be attained by the primary election law.

State Democratic Candidates. Besides Ernest Merton and John A. Aylward for the nomination for governor on the democratic ticket, the other candidates in the state are:

Lieutenant governor, Augustus Gawin, Milwaukee; secretary of state, Clarence J. Noel, Marinette; attorney general, Martin J. Laack, Janesville; insurance commissioner, Henry Neuen, Sheboygan.

The congressional candidates are: First district, Calvin Stewart, Kenosha; second, George E. Lewis, Madison; third, John W. Murphy, Platteville; fourth, T. J. Fleming, North Greenfield; fifth, J. G. Donnelly, Milwaukee; sixth, Charles A. Weiss, Sheboygan; seventh, William Wells, Sparta; eighth, J. E. McMillan, Oshkosh; ninth, R. J. McGeehan, De Pere; tenth, D. D. Conway, Grand Rapids and Fred Rowson of Plainfield for Senator of this district.

New Adviser of Women. The board of regents of the University of Wisconsin has appointed Mrs. Cora Stranahan Woodward to the newly created position of adviser of women at the state university. Mrs. Woodward was for several years a student at Cornell and Syracuse universities, and pursued special work in English literature at Cornell under Professor Hiram Morgan. After completing her college work, Mrs. Woodward was on the staff of the New York State Library under Melvil Dewey, where she carried on investigation of comparative educational legislation for the New York department of education. Last year she traveled in Europe, visiting women's colleges at Oxford and Cambridge. Recently Mrs. Woodward has made a tour of inspection at American universities, studying the conditions of young women in those institutions.

A Complicated Tangle. The Express companies have such a complicated tangle of tariffs under which they have been plundering the public, that they have requested of the Interstate Commerce Commission an extension of time in which to prepare rate schedules for publication under the new law. As the express companies have been charging "all the traffic will bear" it would bear in many transactions, you now have an opportunity to obtain more just charges by appealing to the Commission.

RUDOLPH. Grandmother Heor departed last week for South Dakota to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. F. M. Stewart.

Miss Mary LaVigne of your city has been visiting friends in this neighborhood for the past two weeks. Mr. Bates, who has been ill for a long time, is very low at this writing. This section was visited by a little hail and wind storm on Wednesday afternoon.

Mike O'Connor of your city is helping John Conlath during the haying season.

Don't forget the dance at Maroon's hall Thursday night.

BABCOCK. Mrs. Sam Griffith was shopping in Grand Rapids, Thursday.

Miss Alta Rose of Valley Junction is visiting her sister Mrs. J. Griffith. Miss Eva Miller and Will Charles attended the Modern Woodmen dance at Mather on Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. J. Rinebold spent a couple of days with her husband at Minocqua the last week.

Mrs. Chas. Porter was a Neeshah visitor on Friday.

A. E. Griffith is laid up with rheumatism; he is taking treatment of Dr. Simonson of Tomah.

Mrs. Dennis Kennedy and two children were Grand Rapids visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lipke spent Sunday with the former's parents at Sigel.

Miss Stella Otto Sundayed with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lipke were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Otto last Sunday.

Misses Esther and Effie Otto Sundayed with Miss Irma Lipke.

Adolph Alberts and Mrs. McKee and daughter Florence in your city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maska, Geo. and Al. Sundayed with Mrs. Chas. Kaip.

Mrs. A. C. Cowles and two were guests of Mrs. Lora Sunday.

John Wilhelm spent Sunday with Dan Koeman.

Chris Theel is in the visit.

Frank Hendrick corner spent Sunday with Bon Otto.

The Mail Order Business.

Governor Folk has denounced the mail order business. The country merchant has denounced it and the country papers all over the country have also been talking against the proposition for many moons. Still we have heard of no failures of mail order houses with the exception of one, in which a lot of outsiders went in on the co-operative plan and tried to beat their home merchant out of his living.

It is an alluring proposition to be told that by patronizing a certain mail order house you are going to save the middle man's profit, and if you get your goods just as cheap as if you went right to the factory and bought them, but it is doubtful if you ever do this. Country merchants fail every day, but mail order houses continue to sail along on an even keel, and when one of the proprietors dies he generally leaves a good fat estate to be divided among the heirs.

There is one particular where the mail order house differs from the country merchant, and it is a difference that counts very materially in the end. It comes in the fact that the mail order house does a cash business while the country merchant is conducting his business largely on credit, with the result that the city merchant has his profits in his pocket and the country merchant has his on the books. More merchants go broke from "slow collections" than do from lack of business.

It would seem as if there was a moral connected with this that might be made use of by the country merchant to good advantage, and that is to do a cash business. Many merchants not only do a trust business but they encourage their customers to get their goods for cash at their store, thus at times allowing them to purchase goods that they really cannot afford. Some of this is eventually paid for and some of it is lost. The man who eventually pays his bills not only pays for the stuff he has gotten, but he must necessarily pay for the losses that have been entailed by the merchant, provided the merchant has remained in business.

If a merchant is selling for cash, as the country is with the mail order house, he can sell at a very low margin, because he is absolutely sure that he is not going to lose anything from bad accounts, and every sale he ships out is paid for and exactly what it is represented to be in the catalog. It is paid for and the customer is a long way off and will probably keep his order doing a little cussing, rather than to box it up and send it back, running a risk of not getting the money back, or at least having a long delay about it.

One case came to our notice some time ago. A farmer had sent to a Chicago house for a cream separator. It was a famous special brand "made expressly for" that house and consequently just as good as any in the market. They were able to sell them cheaper because they took the entire output of the factory. After being used a short time it played out and the farmer man brought it in to the local merchant to see if he could not fix it up. A glance showed that it had played out in a vital spot where the machinery was of the cheapest cast iron instead of the best steel as it should have been. There was little wonder that it could be sold cheap, as the country merchant would not have dared to handle such an imperfect machine, for the reason that the customer would have been back on him immediately to make good the defect. This was one case that came to the notice of the people interested, but there are many others that you do not hear about.

We firmly believe that if every merchant in the country started on a cash plan tomorrow, that the mail order business would dwindle down amazingly, and that in a short time the country merchant would have nothing to find fault about.

Many Animals Killed. Twelve hundred diseased cattle and horses have been condemned and killed in Wisconsin by order of state authorities in the past year, this information being a feature of the annual report that has been compiled for the state veterinarian. The cost to that state has been nearly \$25,000 but the treasury has been reimbursed by \$10,000, the revenue from the sale of hides and carcasses. A large part of the money has been paid to owners of the cattle and horses, the state allowing two-thirds of the value of a condemned animal. Under certain conditions, when the disease is not too far advanced, the flesh is suitable for food and is so used.

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GREEN BAY EXCURSIONS.

Harvest Rates via the Green Bay short line to Minnesota and North Dakota points; very cheap. When ready to go take time into consideration, and consider that going this route you get yourself into St. Paul six hours after you leave here and in nice time to get trains out of there same evening for the west. Call me up. A. D. Hill, Agt.

The Lowest rates yet. For the G. A. R. encampment at Minneapolis via the Green Bay short line, on August 11, 12, 13 and 14 the Green Bay and Western will sell excursion tickets to Minneapolis or St. Paul for only \$3.00 for the round trip. Good to return to and including August 31st. An extension of time of return limit to leave St. Paul or Minneapolis not later than Sept. 30 may be had by depositing ticket with joint agent and paying 50 cents.

Remember that the Green Bay and Western is the daylight line to and from St. Paul and Minneapolis. You leave Grand Rapids at 10:22 a. m. arrive at St. Paul 1:45 p. m. and returning, leave St. Paul 8:30 a. m.

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HOW TO ENDORSE A CHECK.

To endorse a check you simply write your name across the back of it. This makes it payable to "bearer".

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THEY PLAYED BALL.

Grand Rapids Wins a Hotly Contested Game From Stevens Point Boys.

There was something doing at the fair grounds last Sunday afternoon when the city team met the boys from Stevens Point and downed them by a score of five to one.

It was all over with the game, and the boys from Stevens Point were all over the place.

MADE A HOME RUN.

Former Grand Rapids Player Makes a Good Hit and Wins a Bride.

Wassau Record—Joe B. Trach, Grand Rapids former player, and Miss Mabel Trach will be married this evening at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. B. Trach, at Stevens Point.

IMPROVEMENTS AT BIRON.

A visit to the mill of the Grand Rapids Pulp and Paper company's mill at Biron one day last week showed that some great improvements had been made about that establishment during the past spring and that the work was still in progress.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Frank Stahl has purchased a new driving horse.

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OUR NOMINEE FOR CONGRESS.

Presenting a small picture of D. D. Conway, the nominee for congress on the democratic ticket.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Fall of 1906.

The Wood County teachers' institute for the fall of 1906 will be held in the high school building at Grand Rapids, beginning Monday, August 13, at 9 a. m. and continuing one week.

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Next Sunday the game of baseball will be between Berlin and this city at the fair grounds. Berlin is reported to have a good team and if so there should be a good game.

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Mrs. Bertha Reeds of this city and G. A. Hooper of Horton were married last week at the latter city, and will make their home there.

WILL BUILD A WAREHOUSE.

L. M. Nash is making preparations to build a warehouse and transfer to the new location. The structure will be 40x60 feet and will occupy the place where the McMillan potato warehouse formerly stood.

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Anton Nintz, who has been taking the school census in this city, has completed his work and reports that there are 1553 children of school age in the city. This is just one more than there was last year, which is not a very startling increase.

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During the warm weather the Sunday services in the Catholic church have been changed as follows: High mass at 8:00 o'clock and Low mass at 10:30 o'clock, a. m.

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Word comes from Rudolph that the prospectors are back in that vicinity again and will soon have drills on the ground to commence the work of prospecting for iron.

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The union meeting of the churches will be entertained by the Congregational congregation next Sunday evening. Rev. Fritman will preach. All are cordially invited to come.

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LIFE THE STAKE

Albert T. Patrick's Long Fight to Prevent the Carrying Out of the Grim Sentence of Death.

HAS MADE THE LAW A PLAYTHING

Sentenced in 1902 for the Murder of Millionaire William Marsh Rice, By Skillful Maneuvering He Has Thus Far Evaded the Hands of the Executioner.

New York.—Take the average murderer. Sentenced to die, he bows to the inevitable. Like a thing whose spirit has already crossed the line from life to death, he mechanically waits for the end, sometimes moaning, sometimes praying, but always waiting—waiting for the executioner to behead him forth.

Nowhere ran a more striking contrast to the above for than in the amazing and even brilliant life of lawyer Albert T. Patrick against the law, his own stock in trade, says the New York World.

Arrested in February, 1901, for the murder of William Marsh Rice, an eccentric old millionaire who had been found dead five months previously under suspicious circumstances in his apartments at No. 500 Madison avenue, Patrick was tried, found guilty and sentenced to die in the electric chair in the week of May 5, 1902. More than four years have passed since then, and yet Patrick is still very much alive, and actually has a longer lease of life than he had when he was sentenced to die in April 7, 1902, when the grim death sentence was pronounced for the first time upon him.

It is not the purpose to present on this page a review of the celebrated Patrick murder case, with which everybody is already familiar. This article concerns Mr. Patrick alone, and the ingenious ways in which he has evaded the law, and with his own life as the stake.

If Patrick wins, as he really believes he will, he will be indebted chiefly to himself as his own lawyer. If he loses he may go to the electric chair, or he may make out a case for a long delay, but he will certainly never be executed to place his opponents in the position of having to play the game all over again.

Dangerously near to the dead-line, Patrick has been forced time after time, but by skillful maneuvering he has evaded the executioner's hand and obtained another reprieve. As the case now stands, Patrick is safe at least until next October, when the United States supreme court will pass upon the writ of error granted on June 12 by Justice Day. This

learn that he was a suspect. Six days from the date of Rice's death, Patrick and Jones were held in \$10,000 bail each on the former charged. The bail was purposely placed at that high figure, in order that the two persons might be detained while the investigation of the circumstances surrounding the mysterious death of Mr. Rice could be probed.

Had Rice Poisoned.

Then, while Patrick and Jones were endeavoring to get somebody to bail them out, the police and coroner looked hard to solve the murder mystery. On October 27 the result of the analysis of Rice's body was announced, showing that the aged millionaire had been poisoned.

Next the police turned their attention to Violet Jones. They "chided" him for these days, and then he told them what they already suspected: Patrick had murdered Rice. Two days later Jones made a still more detailed confession, shouldering all the guilt on Patrick to save his own neck. Having done that, Jones put his throat in prison, but the police doctors sliced up the gash and saved him for further confessions.

Then, suddenly, on February 26, Patrick made his first move to get out. The bail, \$10,000, necessary to liberate him, was produced, and Patrick had already left his cell and was almost free, when orders came to refuse the bail and put Patrick back in his cell. Two days later Patrick was formally charged with the murder of Rice and held without bail pending a hearing.

Events in Patrick's case came swiftly after this. On April 9 Jones declared that Patrick had admitted to his lawyers in Jones' presence that he had killed Rice. On April 12 Patrick was remanded on the charge of

murder. Four days later, at a preliminary examination, he was held for the grand jury, and on April 25 that body returned an indictment against Patrick, charging him with murder in the first degree. Next day Patrick was formally arraigned before Recorder Goff and remanded for trial.

Then it was Patrick's turn to move. On May 10 his lawyers attacked the indictment and asked for Patrick's release. This move failed. Exactly one month later Patrick entered a plea of not guilty and prepared for his trial.

MAN HERE BEFORE COAL.

Pottsville, Pa.—A Boston museum has just bought from a Pottsville miner, employed in the Eagle Hill colliery, two small pieces of coal, one of them bearing the impress of a plant and the other the fossilized imprint of an ax.

The lucky find brought the miner \$50, but its value to science is almost incalculable, as the clear, firm, and absolutely no suspicion of coal tends to prove that man was here before the formation of the coal.

On October 14, when more than a year had passed since the death of Rice, Patrick's lawyers went into court and made a motion for their client's release on the ground that two trial terms had passed without the district attorney bringing Patrick to trial. This motion was denied. Another month went by, and then Patrick's office boy, who had gone to Germany, returned and confessed that he had bought poison for Patrick before the death of Rice. The closing act of 1901 came on December 5, when Patrick made another effort to get out of the Tombs. He obtained a writ of habeas corpus and demanded that he be either tried or released on bail. The district attorney checked this move by announcing that he was ready at last to call the case for trial, and with that understanding Patrick had to go back to his cell once more.

Patrick was placed on trial for his life on the following January 20. Postponements came on February 4 and 5, owing to the illness of Juror John D. Campbell, and it was not until March 26 that the trial ended.

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Patrick's next move was more successful. The court of appeals on July 24, just 14 days before Patrick was to die, granted a stay of execution pending a new hearing and re-argument on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. This was followed on October 2 by a motion for a re-argument of Patrick's original appeal, but on October 27 the court of appeals decided against Patrick by refusing to reopen his case and denying the motion for a re-argument.

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News of Wisconsin

Interesting Happenings in the Various Cities and Towns of the State.

Milwaukee Attorney Dead.
Milwaukee.—Attorney Frederick Milwaukee died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William L. Ebbach at Athens, Marathon county, after an illness of three months. He was 67 years old.

In May Milwaukee returned from a health-seeking trip in California, and in passing over the Rocky mountains was struck with hemorrhages. He was prominent in the Milwaukee and Wisconsin bar and a partner in law business with the late D. H. Johnson and present Judge Halsey. He spent his entire life in Wisconsin and was for many years a leading breeder of high-grade Guernsey cattle. His famous Yelva Sunbeam won the world's record on the production of butter fat. He was a native of Newsumar, Kenosha county.

Heavy Fire Loss at Prentice.
Prentice.—The plant of the United States Leather company at this place, which suffered a heavy loss in February, was destroyed by fire, which cost \$250,000 or \$300,000 by fire, which put considerable headway before it was checked.

Three of the buildings at the half million dollar plant were destroyed and the flames threatened to sweep away the other structures also, but energetic work of the fire department put out the blaze before more than half the plant was ruined. Had there been a wind the entire plant would have been wrecked, and the city itself might have been swept, for even as it was, the burning brands set fire in a dozen places about the place and only constant watching prevented the starting of other fires.

Fatal Dose of Medicine.
Racine.—Max W. Reinhardt, waiter at the Klankert brewery, died suddenly, aged 41 years, from the effects of taking an overdose of medicine for the cure of lumbago. It appears he was a modification of a physician's claim of his doctor and had his family at a drug store and told his family if he was troubled with the worms he would kill them. He took three-quarters of a glass of the medicine, fell to the floor, rolled around and died in great agony. A physician said the medicine paralyzed every nerve in his body.

Urged By Friends to Seek Office.
Milwaukee.—Some prominent Democrats suggested that C. C. Wall for the assembly from his east side district. Mr. Wall has been twice unsuccessful in political matters, but it is reported that he will be urged to come out as a candidate and take an active part in the coming campaign.

Woman Given Another Chance.
Racine.—Steve Yarnow and Mary Lowowski, elopers captured at Milwaukee, were taken before a court commissioner. Yarnow was held to the municipal court for trial on charges of kidnapping. Mrs. Lowowski was permitted to go home upon promising to be a good and faithful wife.

Dependent Teacher Kills Self.
Milwaukee.—Worn out by the strain of teaching 22 years in the public schools, Miss Bertha Roth cast herself into Lake Michigan, leaving a brief note explaining her pathetic words: "Tired of life." Miss Roth was a teacher in the third grade of Nineteenth district school No. 2, and also served as teacher of German.

Poisoned by Impure Cheese.
Milwaukee.—Fifteen persons in the vicinity of Twenty-second avenue and Scott street were taken dangerously ill with ptomaine poisoning by eating a loaf made of impure cheese. The cheese had been taken from a box of 1,000 pounds of the product from a commission house. It has been taken to the garbage plant and destroyed.

Begin Work at Grandfather Falls.
Merrill.—Work was commenced to harness Grandfather falls, the largest water power on the Wisconsin river. The object of the company is the development of the water power. "The dam will be built about midway down the falls. It will be 600 feet long and about 40 feet high, and will be built of stone and concrete.

Points Dealers Complain.
Wausau.—Potato dealers are to try to get better cars for the transportation of potatoes. About 4,500 to 5,000 cars are shipped every winter and it is charged that the poorest box cars are furnished and that shippers would save every cent in expense in providing lining and covers.

Killed by Freight Train.
Prairie du Chien.—Bruna Kuhlmann, nine years old, was struck by a Burlington freight train while trying to cross the tracks in front of the engine. Her left arm, shoulder and breast were crushed.

Heat Causes Death.
Kenosha.—Overcome by the heat George Milwaukee, aged 50 years, fell on a stone step, causing a fracture of the skull from which he died a short time later.

Woman Killed by Hay Wagon.
Menomonee.—Mrs. Thomas Dantzer, aged 60 years, was thrown from a load of hay at Cedar Falls, near this city, and killed. She fell behind this load and was crushed by a long distance and fearfully mutilated.

Pitchock Placed Heart.
Beloit.—Adam Stier, aged 22 years, fell upon the prongs of a pitchock at his farm near here and was instantly killed. He fell against the prongs of one of the prongs pierced his heart.

Not His Time to Die.
Ashland.—F. R. Potts swallowed enough laudanum to kill a dozen, in hotel here, after addressing a farewell note to his mother, then he shot himself, but the bullet hit his ribs. The shock was so great that Potts vomited the poison and will live. He is a well known lumberman.

Elks in Railroad Wreck.
Kenosha.—Twenty members of the Kenosha lodge of Elks were on board a train wrecked at Moffat, Colo., but all escaped unharmed.

Seeks Renomination.
Portage.—George Wyle, of Leeds, has announced his application for renomination as senator from Twenty-seventh district, which includes the counties of Columbia and Sauk. Mr. Wyle has served the district one term, having been elected to the office in the fall of 1902.

Eloping Couple Forgiveness.
Milwaukee.—Steve Kinney, the Milwaukee prize fighter, and Miss Meta Cody were married in Chicago and returned home. They were forgiven.

Second Explosion Seizes Employees.
Ashland.—Another explosion was experienced at the Atlantic Dynamite works here, Sunday night, when a specially prepared store placed before him. Next came a huge joint of meat from which he cuts one tiny slice. Then follow four quails or a large chicken, of which he eats one mouthful. His dessert consists of four grapes and a cup of coffee, while during his meal he just moistens his lips from a bottle of expensive charet and another of the finest champagne. At the conclusion of each meal, for which he pays \$25, he

Child Fatally Killed by Horse.
Weyauwega.—The five-year-old son of William Whitney, residing on the farm of L. D. Post, north of this village, was killed by a horse and instantly killed.

Canal Will Drain Land.
Calodonia.—Preliminary steps have been taken for another drainage canal in the town which, if it goes through, will be built on half sections of land heretofore useless. The canal will be two miles long and start north from the four mile road.

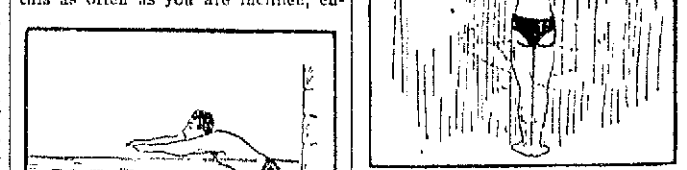
Child Killed by Lightning.
Oscoda.—Emily Zurek, a farmer of South Oscoda, lost 14 head of cattle which were killed by lightning at one time. All were lying alongside a barbed wire fence.

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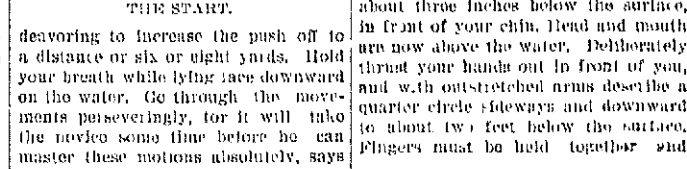
Instructions for Boys and Girls Who Care to Learn Without Professional Teacher.

Stand up to the waist in water; then brace the right foot against a wall, or any solid object, bent knees leaning forward, arms stretched out to their full length in front, thumbs touching each other; palms parallel with water. Now push off, straightening the body so as to lie face downward, swimming the top of the head, or in the direction of shallow water. Repeat this as often as you are inclined, until you are anxious to swim, have a



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friend accompany you to be of assistance to you in acquiring the art, as well as for safety's sake. Let him support you as illustrated, lifting your hands, thumbs touching each other, about three inches below the surface, in front of your chin, head and mouth are now above the water. Deliberately throw your hands out in front of you, and with outstretched arms describe a quarter circle sideways and downward to about two feet below the surface. Fingers must be held together and



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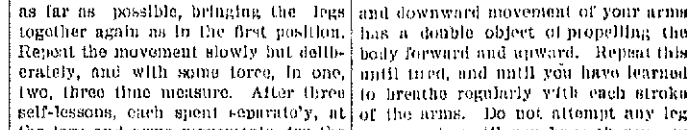
endeavoring to increase the push off to a distance of six or eight yards. Hold your breath while lying face downward on the water. Go through the movements perseveringly, for it will take the novice some time before he can master these motions absolutely, says Rogers, the scientific instructor of the Missouri Athletic club.



AT FULL LENGTH.

will not sink, although your legs will slowly descend.

The Leg Movement.—From a stretched position draw the legs up to a position marked 3; then kick sideways as far as possible, bringing the legs together again as in the first position. Repeat the movement slowly but deliberately, and with every kick, in two, three, four measures. After three self-lessons, each spent separately, at the legs and arms movements, try the same together. As you advance from lesson to lesson it will become less tiresome. You will not only enjoy the tonic effect of the cool bath, but the



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scissors pressed against the water in their movements. The thumb must be about two inches lower in the water than the fingers. This sideways and downward movement of your arms has a double object of propelling the body forward and upward. Repeat this movement, and with every kick, in two, three, four measures. After three self-lessons, each spent separately, at the legs and arms movements, try the same together. As you advance from lesson to lesson it will become less tiresome. You will not only enjoy the tonic effect of the cool bath, but the

Soap Bubble Contest.

A Delightful Pastime for Some of the Summer Days When Playing With Your Friends.

Outdoor sports form the chief pleasure of the summer days, and one of the most delightful and picturesque diversions is a soap-bubble contest on a tennis court or a lawn.

This sport is productive of much fun if the party is divided, with one-half the number of boys and girls on each side of the net. A table should be placed on each side, near at hand, and on it should be a large bowl of soapy water, with a tablespoon of glycerine added, as this adds to the beauty of the bubbles and makes them last longer. Clay pipes should be provided for the players, and they should be secured by ribbons denoting the respective sides.

The girls make the bubbles and the boys blow them over the net, and also try to prevent their opponents' bubbles from coming over their net into their court. Each bubble that floats over the net counts 15 points for the side from which it came, and, of course, the side scoring highest within a given time wins the contest.

For the chain of bubbles, a wooden pipe is used in the shape of a snail, the head of which is a hollow tube like the stem.

In prize contests, the players will find it pleasant to try in pairs, the two pipes having colored ribbons alike, and each player finding his or her partner by matching the ribbons.

Favorite Card Game of Japanese.

A game popular with both grown people and children in Japan is played as follows:

One hundred well-known proverbs are selected, each divided into two parts, each part printed on a separate card. The host has the hundred first halves while he reads aloud, one by one. The hundred second halves are dealt to the other players, who place their hands upward upon the "rain cloud" or thick mat of rich silk upon which they sit. As the first half of any proverb is read, the holder of the second half throws it out, or, if he sees it unnoticed among his neighbors, he seizes it and gives him one of his wans. The player who is first "out" wins. It is a very simple game, but

It affords a great deal of amusement to the players, for the quick-sighted and keen-witted are constantly seizing the words of the author and slower wits. This leads to much laughter and good-natured teasing.

The Sacred Tooth.

In a recent lecture in New York an American traveler told of a sacred tooth in India, which for 2,400 years had been an object of worship and for which \$250,000 of other shrines in India, he said, "the tooth of human beings are worshipped by Hindus, who above all, value good teeth as the reward of good ancestry and of eternal vigilance in the care of the body."

VAGARIES OF THE RICH.

When the people have more money than they know what to do with they sometimes develop a remarkable ingenuity in devising methods of squandering it, as in the case of the French marquis who, according to the papers, has her bed strewn with rare and exquisite orchids at a cost of several thousand dollars a week.

Even more remarkable is the story told of a wealthy Frenchman who dines twice a week at a famous Parisian restaurant. His appetite is of the poorest, but he always insists on having a tureen filled with a specially prepared soup placed before him. Next comes a huge joint of meat from which he cuts one tiny slice. Then follow four quails or a large chicken, of which he eats one mouthful. His dessert consists of four grapes and a cup of coffee, while during his meal he just moistens his lips from a bottle of expensive charet and another of the finest champagne. At the conclusion of each meal, for which he pays \$25, he

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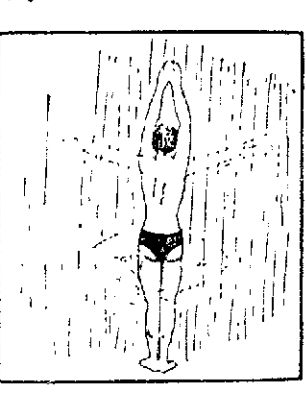
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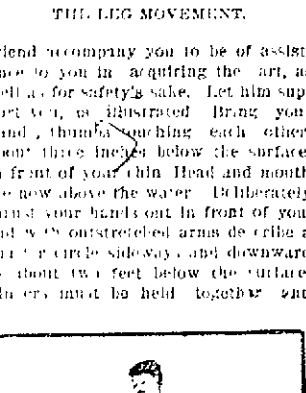
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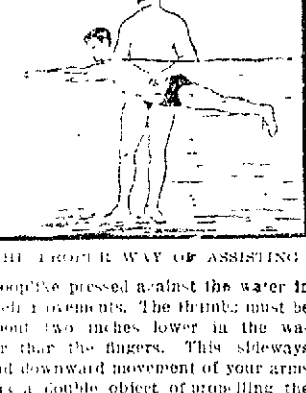
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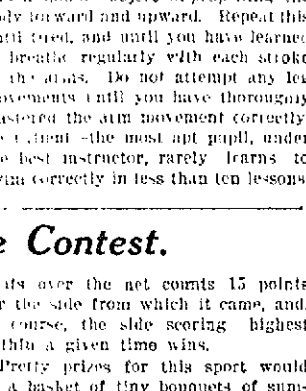
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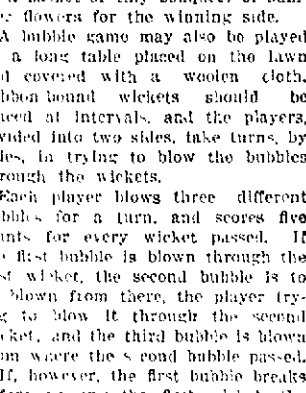
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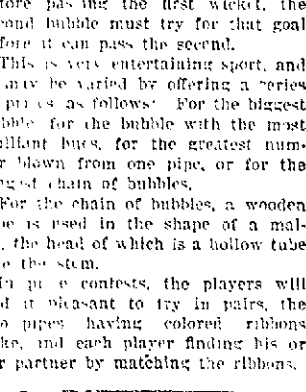
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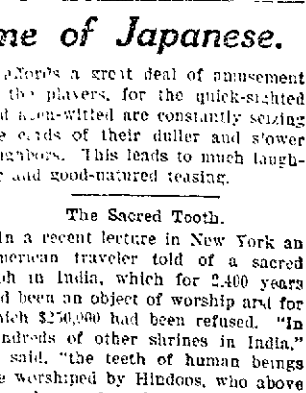
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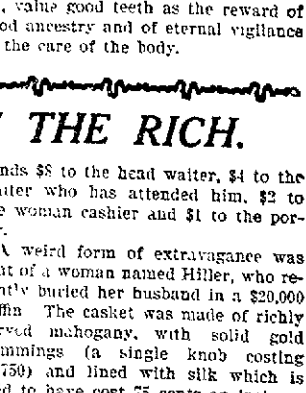
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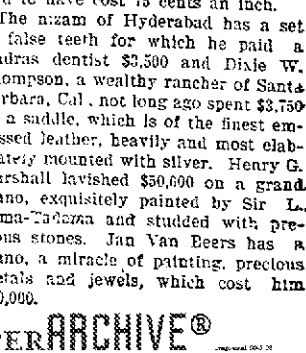
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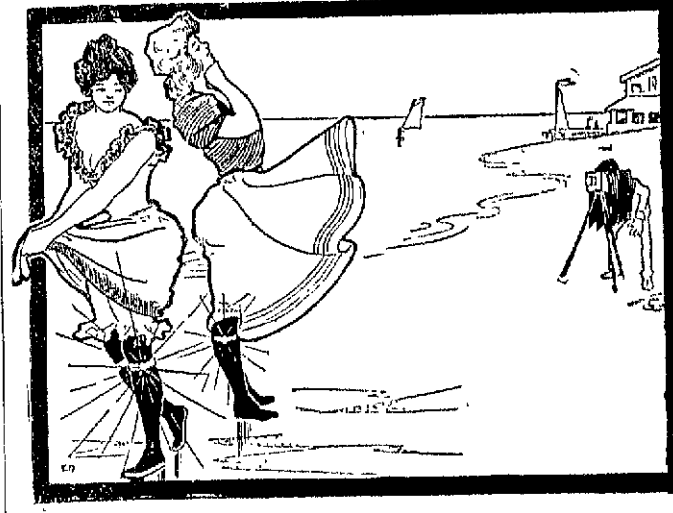
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SHERIFF
Too late for last week.
Few people realize what our schools cost to maintain, our graded school paid \$1050 for teachers salaries the past year, or an average of \$2.88 for each child of school age residing in the district. Parents stop and consider if you can afford to deprive your child from this precious education, when this is the average for each child whether they attend school or not. A better attendance is due.

NEKOOSA.
(From the Times.)
Chief Forester Frank Junn has been drilling his Woodmen Forester team for competitive contests at Spring Creek where the M. W. A. Harvest Picnic takes place on August 21, having decided to accept an invitation to take in the event. The members of the team are: E. Hahn, Frank Fischer, Albert Helt, John Fitzgerald, Fred Nelson, Walter Garske, Joe Sindler, John Mitty, Ben Disburg, Geo. Hinkley, Geo. Hinkley, Henry Springer, Geo. Polansky, Roy Kelly and E. A. Collins.

RESOLVED
THAT WE MIGHT AS WELL KEEP COOL!
BUSTER BROWN.

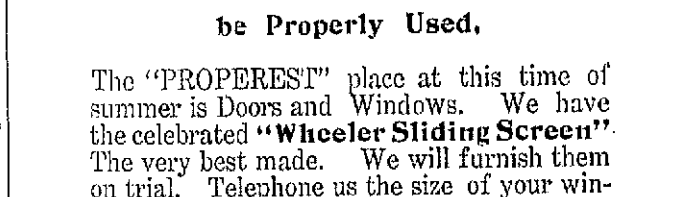
I SAY BUSTER, WHEN DID AUNT KATE GET THIS VANILLA? YOU OUGHT TO KNOW LIGE, WE NEVER TRADE ANY OTHER PLACE. THEY KEEP THE BEST OF EVERYTHING AND SELL CHEAPER THAN IN ANY OTHER CITY OF WISCONSIN—YOU HAVE HEARD ABOUT ADULTERATIONS IN EVERYTHING. OUR GROCER WON'T SELL HUMBUG GOODS AT ANY PRICE. HE SAYS NOTHING IS TOO GOOD TO EAT. PRICE DON'T COUNT WHEN YOU ARE AFTER FLAVOR AND PURITY. WE BUY EVERYTHING OF JOHNSON AND HILL CO. AND GET A SHARE OF THE PROFITS. ASK FOR BONDS AND SAVE THE TICKETS. YOU WILL SAVE MONEY AND BE HAPPY. RESPECTFULLY



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SARATOGA.
Mrs. F. V. Russell and daughter Lucy, mother and sister of Mrs. Lee Margery, and C. B. Bann, a brother, returned to their home in Chicago Thursday after a month's pleasant visit at the J. M. Gregory home.

RUDDLE.
Miss Edith Condit, who has been in Los Angeles, Cal., the past year has gone to Dauphin, Manitoba, where she is visiting her brother Walter, who is in business there. She expects to spend the summer there and reports her trip from Los Angeles delightful, the scenery along the route being grand.




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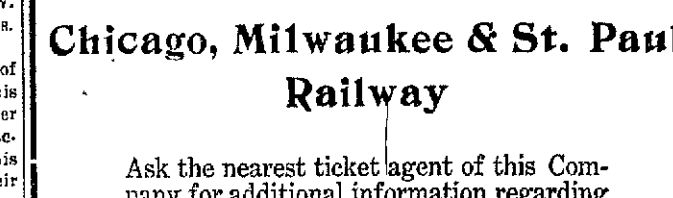
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